

IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT FOR THE  
EASTERN DISTRICT OF MISSOURI

VINCENT McFADDEN,

*Petitioner,*

VS.

Case No \_\_\_\_\_

WILLIAM STRANGE,

*Respondent.*

*MOTION TO PROCEED IN FORMA PAUPERIS*

Vincent McFadden will be filing a Petition for Writ of Habeas Corpus under 28 U.S.C. § 2254 action with this Court. Mr. McFadden's Affidavit in Support of Motion to Proceed in Forma Pauperis is attached. (See Ex. 1.) Mr. McFadden requests that the Court grant him *In Forma Pauperis* status in the present action under 28 U.S.C. 1915.

Mr. McFadden was declared indigent by the United States District Court for the Eastern District of Missouri in a 28 U.S.C. § 2254 action with this Court and received the appointment of counsel pursuant to 18 U.S.C. § 3599 in *McFadden v. Stange*, Case No. 4:18-CV-01559-AGF (E.D. Mo.). (See Ex. 2) He has at all times proceeded as an indigent in state and federal court.

WHEREFORE, Petitioner Vincent McFadden respectfully moves this Court to GRANT Petitioner to proceed *In Forma Pauperis* in his habeas corpus proceeding

Respectfully Submitted,

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### CERTIFICATE OF SERVICE

On this 10<sup>th</sup> day of August 2020, a true and correct copy of the foregoing was mailed via regular U.S. Mail to the Office of the Attorney General, P.O. Box 899, Jefferson City, Missouri 65102.

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